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<b>AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION</b>	Application No.	<b>10/778,007</b>
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	Group Art Unit	<b>1773</b>
	Attorney Docket No.	<b>33931/US/DJB</b>
	For	<b>POLYMER SUBSTRATE COATED WITH WEAK CATIONIC- EXCHANGE FUNCTIONAL LAYER</b>

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Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action mailed April 28, 2006. Applicants believe no fees are due. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge fees which may be required, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Our Order No.: 465377-01124; Our Docket No. 33931/US/DJB).

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